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Application Number	10/085,418
Filing Date	02/28/2002
First Named Inventor	LOWE
Examiner Name	TBA
Group Art Unit	1636
Attorney Docket No.	109846.152 SYN-047CN2

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- Applicant claims small entity status.
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- See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Small Entity

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Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370		Utility filing fee	740.00
106	330	206	165		Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255		Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370		Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80		Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 740.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	-20** =	X	
Multiple Dependent	-3** =	X	280.00

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Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103	18	203	9		Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42		Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	84	209	42		** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 280.00

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65			Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
127	50	227	25			Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130			Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520			For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*			Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*			Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55			Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200			Extension for reply within second month	400.00
117	920	217	460			Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720			Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980			Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160			Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160			Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140			Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510			Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55			Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640			Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640			Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230			Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310			Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130			Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50			Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180			Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40			Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370			Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370			For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370			Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900			Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)							
SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 530.00							

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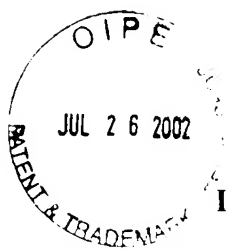
TRANSMITTAL FORM <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>	Application Number	10/085,418
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	First Named Inventor	Lowe
	Group Art Unit	1636
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Serial No.: 10/085,418

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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(FILING DATE GRANTED)**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Filing Date Granted) mailed April 2, 2002, enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application are the following documents:

1. Part 2 - Return Copy of Notice of Missing Parts of Application;
2. Request for Two-Month Extension of Time;
3. Fee Transmittal authorizing payment of \$1,550.00;
4. Copy of signed Declaration;
5. Copy of amended Abstract from parent application 09/728,710;
6. Sequence Listing Statement under 37 CFR 1.821(f);
7. Copy of Sequence Listing on paper; and
8. Sequence Listing on computer readable format



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Also enclosed is a self-addressed, postage prepaid postcard. Kindly date stamp the postcard indicating timely receipt by the Patent Office of the subject documents, and return it to us for our files.

No additional fees are believed due. If however a fee is due or a credit owed, please make it to our Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 24, 2002

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$280.
 - \$280 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1150.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).
- This application does not contain a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). Applicant must provide such statement if the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2001.

- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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